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MS PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

As authorized by the inventor(s), transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application applied for on behalf of the inventor(s) according to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.41(c).

Inventor(s):

KISHIDA, Akira

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Enclosed are:

\boxtimes	Α	specification	consisting	of	Twenty-six	(26)	pages
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Ten (10) sheet(s) of formal drawings \boxtimes

Applicant does not claim priority

Applicant claims the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 \boxtimes based on Application No(s). 2002-188544 and 2003-051763 filed in JAPAN on June 27, 2002 and February 27, 2003, respectively.

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	bThis nonprovisional application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) on U.S. Provisional Application No(s). filed on , which is(are) herein incorporated by reference				
\boxtimes	Executed Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.64 will follow				
	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27				
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	Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76				
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	Other:				
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